

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING ELECTRONIC MESSAGE
AUTHENTICATION**

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 1, 2008, Applicants respond as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.